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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION EXPEDITED PROCEDURE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 02481.1597

Attorney Docket No. IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Johann ERTL et al.)	
Application No.: 09/099,307)	Group Art Unit: 1646
Filed: June 18, 1998 For: NOVEL INSULIN DERIVATIVES HAVING A RAPID ONSET OF ACTION))))	Examiner: C. SAOUD
TRANSMITT	AL LET	TER
Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231		
Sir:		•

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of February 28, 2000.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	
Total	64	-	62	2	x \$ 18	\$ 36.00	
Indep.	1	-	1	0	x \$ 78		
[] First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s) +\$260							
Subtotal							
Reduction by ½ if small entity							
TOTAL							

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A fee of \$36.900 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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